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FOLLOWING REPEAT JIDDA 7923 ACTION SECSTATE NIACT IMMEDIATE
NOV 18

QUOTE: S E C R E T JIDDA 7923

NODIS CHEROKEE

FOR SECRETARY FROM AMBASSADOR

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, SA, US

SUBJ: HORN OF AFRICA

REF: (A) STATE 276344, (B) JIDDA 7920

1. DURING MY MEETING WITH FOREIGN MINISTER SAUD
NOV 18, I ALSO BROUGHT UP SUBJECT OF SOMALIA AND
RECENT ACTIONS ABRIDGING SOVIET LATITUDE THERE,
PLUS RUPTURE OF RELATIONS WITH CUBA. I EXPRESSED
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APPRECIATION OF SECRETARY AND ADMINISTRATION FOR
ROLE OF HIS MAJESTY'S GOVERNMENT IN BRINGING THIS
ABOUT. I TOLD SAUD THAT SECRETARY VANCE WISHED
THIS MESSAGE CONVEYED TO HRH CROWN PRINCE FAHD.

2. I MENTIONED THAT OUR ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
IS MOVING FORWARD AND THAT SHORTLY AN AID OFFICIAL

WOULD TAKE UP RESIDENCE AT MOGADISCIO. HOWEVER, OUR
POLICY ON PROVIDING ARMS REMAINED THE SAME.
I NOTED THAT OUR MESSAGE REQUESTING A REVIEW
OF THAT POLICY HAD APPARENTLY NOT REACHED THE
SECRETARY AND THAT WE WOULD INQUIRE ABOUT IT.
I TOLD SAUD THAT I WOULD INFORM HIM AS SOON
AS I HEARD FROM YOU IN RESPECT TO MATTERS I
RAISED AT SAG REQUEST IN JIDDA 7920. WEST
UNQUOTE CHRISTOPHER

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